

Dear Honorable members of Planning & Development,

As the Deputy Assessor in the Town of Manchester, I support HB 5182 as this bill will exempt property leased to a municipality. We are all aware that there are cases where a municipality leases equipment or vehicles and they are indirectly taxed through the leasing company, essentially requiring the municipality to pay itself taxes in a roundabout way. This bill will cut red tape and eliminate a lot of unnecessary accounting in these situations making government more efficient and therefore more respondent to our constituents. Please support the passage of this bill.

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